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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Re: "IMPROVED RAPID SUBCLONING USING
SITE-SPECIFIC RECOMBINATION"
Serial No.: 09/122,384
Filing Date: June 24, 1998
Our File No.: 120541-1005
BCM No.: OTA #97-27

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing please find the following items relating to the above-identified application:

- (1) Response to Restriction Requirement under 35 U.S.C. § 121;
- (2) Petition for Two-Month Extension of Time;
- (3) Check in the amount of \$190.00; and
- (4) Post Card.

Please file the Response and return the date-stamped postcard to our office at the address listed above. In the meantime, if you have any questions or comments concerning this matter, please call the undersigned at your earliest convenience. Otherwise, please accept the enclosed.

Sincerely,

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